Daily Digest Senate

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NEW PUBLIC LAWS

(For last listing of Public Laws, see Daily Digest, p. D1049.)

H.R. 2366, to repeal an unnecessary medical device reporting requirement. Signed October 2, 1996. (P.L. 104–224)

- H.R. 2504, to designate the Federal Building located at the corner of Patton Avenue and Otis Street, and the United States Courthouse located on Otis Street, in Asheville, North Carolina, as the "Veach-Baley Federal Complex". Signed October 2, 1996. (P.L. 104–225)
- H.R. 2685, to repeal the Medicare and Medicaid Coverage Data Bank. Signed October 2, 1996. (P.L. 104–226)
- H.R. 3060, to implement the Protocol on Environmental Protection to the Antarctic Treaty. Signed October 2, 1996. (P.L. 104–227)
- H.R. 3186, to designate the Federal building located at 1655 Woodson Road, in Overland, Missouri, as the "Sammy L. Davis Federal Building". Signed October 2, 1996. (P.L. 104–228)
- H.R. 3400, to designate the United States courthouse to be constructed at a site on 18th Street between Dodge and Douglas Streets in Omaha, Nebraska, as the "Roman L. Hruska United States Courthouse". Signed October 2, 1996. (P.L. 104–229)
- H.R. 3710, to designate a United States courthouse located in Tampa, Florida, as the "Sam M. Gibbons United States Courthouse". Signed October 2, 1996. (P.L. 104–230)

- H.R. 3802, to amend section 552 of title 5, United States Code, popularly known as the Freedom of Information Act, to provide for public access to information in an electronic format. Signed October 2, 1996. (P.L. 104–231)
- S. 1507, to provide for the extension of the Parole Commission to oversee cases of prisoners sentenced under prior law, and to reduce the size of the Parole Commission. Signed October 2, 1996. (P.L. 104–232)
- S. 1834, to reauthorize the Indian Environmental General Assistance Program Act of 1992. Signed October 2, 1996. (P.L. 104–233)
- H.R. 3074, to amend the United States-Israel Free Trade Area Implementation Act of 1985 to provide the President with additional proclamation authority with respect to articles of the West Bank or Gaza Strip or a qualifying industrial zone. Signed October 2, 1996. (P.L. 104–234)
- S. 919, to modify and reauthorize the Child Abuse Prevention and Treatment Act. Signed October 3, 1996. (P.L. 104–235)
- S. 1675, to provide for the nationwide tracking of convicted sexual predators. Signed October 3, 1996. (P.L. 104–236)
- S. 1965, to prevent the illegal manufacturing and use of methamphetamine. Signed October 3, 1996. (P.L. 104–237)
- S. 2101, to provide educational assistance to the dependents of Federal law enforcement officials who are killed or disabled in the performance of their duties. Signed October 3, 1996. (P.L. 104–238)
- H.R. 1350, to amend the Merchant Marine Act, 1936 to revitalize the United States-flag merchant marine. Signed October 8, 1996. (P.L. 104–239)